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WELL?

WE'RE WAITING ON YOU, KIRSTY.

WILL YOU FOLLOW ABADDON'S WILL?

BUT...IF I DON'T DO WHAT LEVIATHAN WANTS FROM ME...

...WHATEVER THAT IS...

...HE'S GOING TO KILL EDGAR!

QUITE A SOPHIE'S CHOICE, ISN'T IT?

BROKEN EGGS AND OMELETS, CHILD.

WHO WILL YOU CHOOSE—YOUR LOVER?

...OR YOUR FATHER?

...WHAT DOES ABADDON WANT?

...GOOD QUESTION BUTTERFIELD?

ABADDON WANTS YOU TO SIT THIS ONE OUT.

WE PUT YOU IN A CELL UNTIL THIS IS ALL OVER—AND YOU DON'T TRY TO BREAK OUT OF IT.

...YOU WANT ME TO LET ABADDON'S ARMY INVADE EARTH?

AND IF YOU SO MUCH AS LIFT A FINGER TO STOP US...

...YOUR FATHER WILL SUFFER FOR IT. YES.

...OH, DADDY...



...I'M SO SORRY...



WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR?

HELP ME!



HAHAHAHAHAHAHA!

...LEGATE...

AREN'T YOU GOING TO ORDER US TO GO AFTER THEM?



WHY BOTHER?

THE LAWYER AND YOUR BROTHERS WHO GAVE CHASE ARE ALREADY DEAD

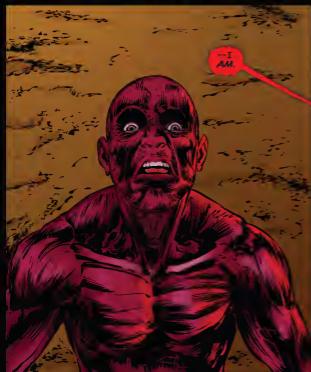


SEEP

YOU'RE--YOU'RE JUST GOING TO LET HER ESCAPE?

SHOULDN'T WE DO SOMETHING?

OH--



--I AM.

HAVE YOU GONE ENTIRELY MAD?

IS THE POWER OF FURY TOO INTOXICATING FOR YOU?

WE NEED THIS WRETCH--INTACT--AS A BARGAINING CHIP!

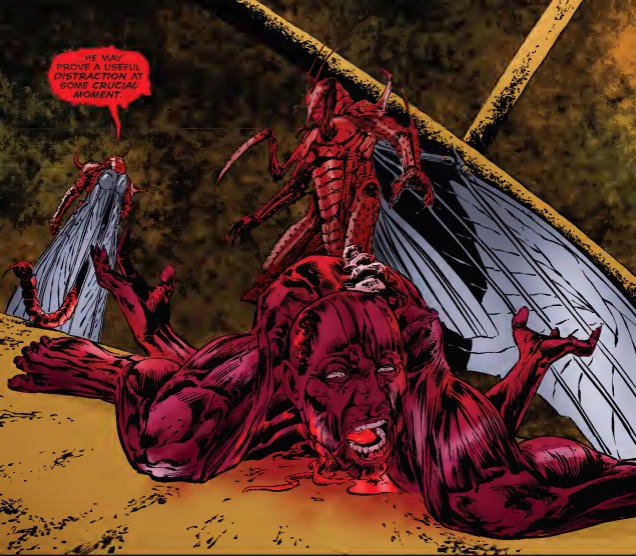
YOU'RE LUCKY I'M IN A GOOD MOOD, SOLDIER

WE'VE SEEN HOW LITTLE WORTH THIS ONE HAS AS A BARGAINING CHIP, ALIVE

BUT WITH KIRSTY GRIEVING AND BLAMING HERSELF FOR HIS DEATH...



HE MAY PROVE A USEFUL DISTRACTION AT SOME CRUCIAL MOMENT.



COME ALONG MEN, WE'RE NEEDED IN THE LABYRINTH.

...WHY?

PLEASE, CAN'T YOU SMELL IT?

THE END TIMES ARE UPON US.





SO, IT'S IMPORTANT. I JUST WISH I KNEW WHAT IT WAS--
--OR WHAT I'M SUPPOSED TO DO WITH IT.



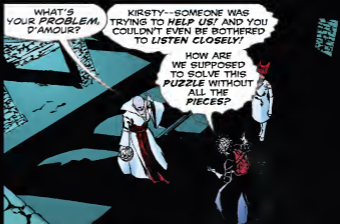
KNOW WHAT I WISH?

THAT YOU'D PAID A BIT MORE ATTENTION TO WHAT THIS-- "GUARDIAN ANGEL"-- WAS ACTUALLY SAYING TO YOU.

WHAT'S YOUR PROBLEM, D'AMOUR?

KIRSTY-- SOMEONE WAS TRYING TO HELP US! AND YOU COULDN'T EVEN BE BOTHERED TO LISTEN CLOSELY!

HOW ARE WE SUPPOSED TO SOLVE THIS PUZZLE WITHOUT ALL THE PIECES?



WHAT DO YOU WANT FROM ME?

YOU HAVE NO IDEA WHAT IT COST ME TO BRING THIS BACK HERE!

OH, YOU'RE HAVING A HARD DAY?



SO'S EVERYONE!

IT'S THE END OF THE WORLD!

PULL IT TOGETHER!



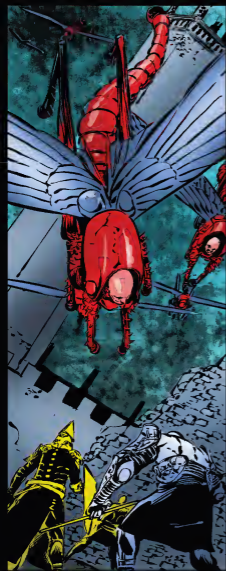
SO, ONE MORE TIME.

"YOUR 'GUARDIAN ANGEL' SAID, 'WHAT'S DONE CAN'T BE UNDONE,' RIGHT? AND THEN, SOMETHING ABOUT--

A TORN GARMENT, YEAH.













ARE YOU
OKAY? WHAT HAPPENED TO
YOUR TALISMAN?

CENOBITES
TOOK IT WHILE
I WAS BEING
CONVERTED
INTO ONE OF
THEM.

OH,
NO...



DON'T WORRY
ABOUT IT. I
GOT THIS. DO WHAT YOU
NEED TO DO.

"IT'S THE
OLDEST
TRICK IN
THE BOOK.

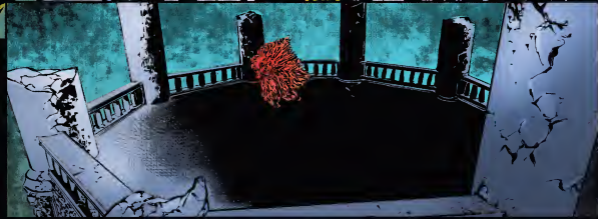
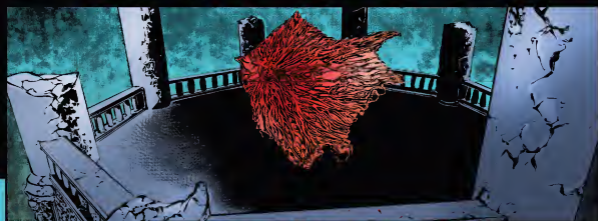
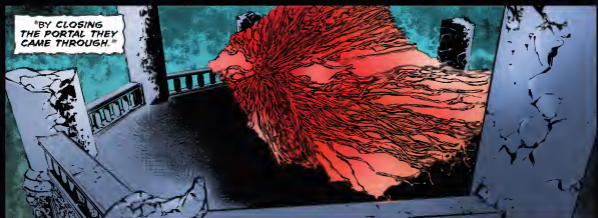


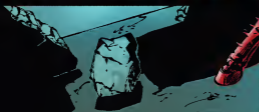
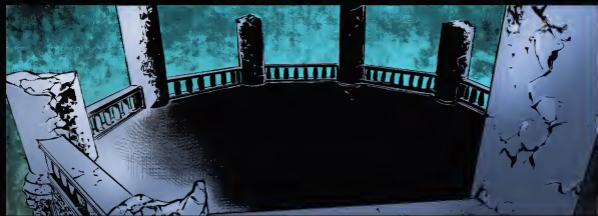
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"--HELL'S
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TO STOP
THEM.

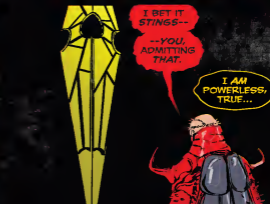


"BUT STOP
THEM HOW?"

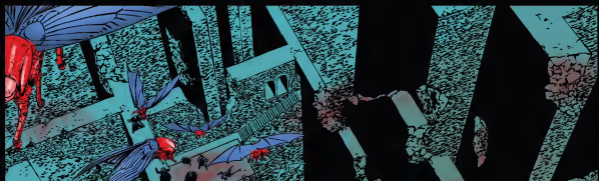












WELL...



...LOOKS LIKE THIS IS IT.



I'M SORRY I NEVER GOT TO LEARN IF I CAN ACTUALLY TRUST YOU.





...IT'S
CLOSING!
OH, THANK
GOD—
...IT'S
ACTUALLY
CLOSING!







...I'VE RETURNED.



AGGH!

WHAT IS THIS?

IT'S OKAY, HARRY...



...TIME TO GO HOME

AFTER ALL THAT, EVERYTHING THAT'S HAPPENED...



...I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU AGREED TO BE LEVIATHAN'S PET AGAIN, SPENCER.

HARDLY A PET, KIRSTY. 'BETTER TO REIGN IN HELL,' AS THEY SAY.



'REIGNING' MY ASS. YOU'RE A PUPPET, SPENCER.

NEVER ANYTHING MORE.

THIS PUPPET HAS CLIPPED ITS STRINGS, CHILD. I DID NOT ACCEPT MY OLD ROLE BACK--

BUT NOW, YOU ARE SAFELY OUT OF HELL...

...AND LEVIATHAN'S PROMISE TO YOU IS FULFILLED.

--BUT A NEW ONE. I AM THE LABYRINTH'S PONTIFEX AGAIN, TRUE--

--BUT MY POWERS HAVE BEEN INCREASED, BOTH TEMPORALLY AND SPIRITUALLY.

THAT'S ALL THAT'S WHAT LEVIATHAN GAVE YOU SO YOU'D CLOSE THE OUBLIETTE--

--A PROMOTION AND A RAISE?

YES. JUST AS LEVIATHAN GAVE ALL OF YOUR HUMANITIES BACK, AND GAVE YOU SAFE PASSAGE OUT OF HELL.



...NO.



YES.



EDGAR!



SPENCER! YOU BASTARD!

I'M GOING TO FUCKING KILL YOU!

THIS IS IT! YOU'RE FUCKING DEAD!

COME NOW, KIRSTY COTTON.



DID YOU TRULY BELIEVE YOU COULD STEAL A HAPPY ENDING? YOU?



NO HAPPY ENDINGS, LITTLE GIRL.

ONLY PAIN.

PAIN, ETERNAL.



I SHALL SEE ALL OF YOU AGAIN.

VERY SOON.